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I hope everyone had a great Spring Break! I have a few updates since our Fall newsletter.

Thanks to your support, the library's proposal to acquire **Sage Knowledge** and **Sage Research Methods** through the Technology Fee Funded Projects was a success! Both have recently been turned on and you can find them through the Articles & Databases alphabetical list, <http://library.ucf.edu/Databases/Titles/S.php#S>. I'll also be adding them to the Political Science Research Guide.



SAGE Knowledge hosts more than 4,200 titles including an expansive range of SAGE eBook and eReference content, including scholarly monographs, reference works, handbooks, series, professional development titles, and more.

SAGE Research Methods was created to help researchers, faculty, and students with their research projects. It links over 175,000 pages of SAGE's book, journal, and reference content with advanced search and discovery tools. You and your students can explore methods concepts to help design research projects, understand particular methods or identify a new method, conduct research, and write the findings.



Purchasing Materials: This year the Department of Political Science was given over \$3000 to purchase materials such as books, e-books, and DVDs. You spent it all! I will still take requests either through your department liaison, Anca Turcu, or you can forward them to me directly. We never know if we might receive additional funds and I have to quickly submit orders!

Reminders:

Research Guide: The Political Science Research Guide can be found at <http://guides.ucf.edu/PoliticalScience>. There are guides for related subjects such as security studies, government, and specific classes.

Instruction: It's not too late! If your class has a research component you can contact me directly at the information provided below. I could also stop by your class for a quick ten minute introduction!

Research Consultations: This service for students and faculty is a one-on-one appointment with me for extensive, in-depth research assistance. Sign up at <http://library.ucf.edu/Reference/ResearchConsultations/Default.php>

As always, please contact me for any of your research needs at:

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